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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.312

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Dear Sir:

In response to a telephone call from Mr. David Irvine at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Office of Patent Publication and Dissemination, applicant notes that the formal drawings refer to the first Figure solely as Fig. 1, rather than the combination of Fig. 1-A and Fig. 1 as in the informal drawings. Accordingly, this amendment after receipt of a Notice of Allowance and after payment of the issue fee is intended to delete reference to Fig. 1-A and refer to the entire first figure as Fig. 1. Please amend the application as follows:

On page 3, lines 24-25 please delete "invention. Figure 1-A" and insert --invention and --- in its place.

On page 5, line 31 please delete "1-A" and insert ---1--- in its place.

REMARKS

Entry of the above amendment is respectfully requested. The amendment does not change the substance of the application or the scope of claim coverage and is believed appropriate under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.312. If the Examiner requires any additional information he is invited to contact applicants' attorney at the telephone number listed below.

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